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Fort Nelson Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended:

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#### **Submission Checklist**

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

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As per the Libraries Act section 40(3)(a) Public Library Associations must prepare annual financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. This also applies to Library Federations.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Municipal Libraries and Regional Library Districts must provide audited financial statements as per the *Libraries Act* section 11(2) and 26(2) (a). Audited statements are not required for the SOFI but if available, please include them.

#### **Board Approval Form**

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

NAME OF LIBRARY		FISCAL YEAR END (YYYY)
Fort Nelson Public Library Association		2022
LIBRARY ADDRESS		TELEPHONE NUMBER
A2 Municipal Town Squa	re, 5319 50th Ave	250-774-6777
CITY	PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE
Fort Nelson	BC	VOC 1RO
NAME OF THE CHAIRPER	SON OF THE LIBRARY BOARD	TELEPHONE NUMBER
Flora Clark		250-321-3844
NAME OF THE LIBRARY DIRECTOR		TELEPHONE NUMBER
Danika Andrews 250-321-7228		250-321-7228
DECLARATION AND SIGN	ATURES	
We, the undersigned, cert	tify that the attached is a correct and true c	opy of the Statement of Financial Information of the
year ended 2022 for Fort	Nelson Public Library as required under Sec	tion 2 of the Financial Information Act.
SIGNATURE OF THE CHAIL	RPERSON OF THE LIBRARY BOARD*	DATE SIGNED (DD-MM-YYYY)
Flora	Flora blark	
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#### Management Report

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Fort Nelson Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2022-12-31

#### MANAGEMENT REPORT

The Financial Statements contained in this Statement of Financial Information under the Financial Information Act have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles and the integrity and objectivity of these statements are management's responsibility.

Management is also responsible for all other schedules of financial information and for ensuring this information is consistent, where appropriate, with the information contained in the financial statements and for implementing and maintaining a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that reliable financial information is produced.

The Board of the Library is responsible for ensuring that management fulfils its responsibilities for financial reporting and internal control and for approving the financial information included in the Statement of Financial Information.

On behalf of the Fort Nelson Public Library

Name. Chairperson of the Library Board [Print]	Flora Clark	_	
Signature,			
Chairperson of the Library	Flora Marke	Date	05 11 2022
Board	-wayara	(MM-DD-YYYY)	05-11-2023
Name,			
Library Director [Print]	Danika Andrews		
Signature, Library Director	D-100	Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	05-11-2023

# FORT NELSON PUBLIC LIBRARY UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2022

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#### **Compilation Engagement Report**

On the basis of information provided by the company's management, I have compiled the balance sheet of Fort Nelson Public Library as at December 31, 2022 and the statements of operations and cash flows for the year then ended.

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial information, including the accuracy and completeness of the underlying information used to compile it and the selection of the basis of accounting.

I performed the engagement in accordance with the Canadian Standard on Related Services (CSRS) 4200, *Compilation Engagements*, which requires me to comply with relevant ethical requirements. My responsibility is to assist management in the preparation of the financial information.

I did not perform an audit engagement or a review engagement, nor was I required to perform procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. Accordingly, I do not express an audit opinion or a review conclusion, or provide any form of assurance on the financial information.

Readers are cautioned that the financial information may not be appropriate for their purposes.

Nordika Business Solutions Inc.
Chartered Professional Accountant

Fort Nelson, BC May 11, 2023

# **BALANCE SHEET DECEMBER 31, 2022**

	2	2022	2021
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Petty Cash	\$	200	\$ 200
Cash in Bank	24	46,858	237,945
G.S.T. Recoverable (Note 1)	1	10,510	10,171
Prepaid Expenses		818	818
Short Term Investments (Note 1)		5,087	 5,074
Total Assets	\$ 20	63,473	\$ 254,208

<sup>\*</sup>The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements\*

# BALANCE SHEET DECEMBER 31, 2022

(Unaudited)

#### LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable & Accruals	\$	22,131	\$ 17,811
Unspent Grants (Note 1), (Note 4)	_	49,704	23,634
Total Liabilities	_	71,835	41,445
Net Assets			
General Reserve Fund (Note 1), (Note 3)		79,427	-
Contingency Fund (Note 2)		-	29,384
Internally Restricted (Note 1)		5,000	12,500
Technology Reserve Fund (Note 1)		21,500	-
Operating Reserve Fund (Note 1)	_	106,836	
		212,763	41,884
Surplus Beginning of Year		-	195,839
Surplus (Deficit) for the Year		(21,125)	(24,960)
Surplus End of Year	_	(21,125)	170,879
Total Net Assets	_	191,638	212,763
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	<u>\$</u>	263,473	\$ 254,208

Approved:

Flora Clark

<sup>\*</sup>The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements\*

# STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	2022	2021
REVENUE		
Grants		
Northern Rockies Regional Municipality	\$ 314,337	\$ 304,112
Province of British Columbia	20,170	25,077
One Card	7,400	7,400
Equity	5,760	5,547
Fortis	5,000	-
NorthwesTel	4,172	4,633
Relief & Recovery	1,408	-
Technology	1,031	-
Law Matters	966	2,372
Imagine	631	511
Total Grants	360,875	349,652
Inter Library Loan Rebate	6,561	6,561
Revenue from Own Sources	9,820	3,826
TOTAL REVENUE	377,256	360,039

<sup>\*</sup>The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements\*

# STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	2022	2021
EXPENDITURES		
Advertising & Promotion	437	2,306
Books, Periodicals & Paperbacks	43,542	40,180
Communications & Postage	5,696	5,754
Dues & Memberships	1,839	656
Equipment & Furniture Purchases	6,981	7,310
Equity Grant	5,760	5,115
Evergreen Sitka Support Fee	1,885	1,866
Fortis Grant	5,000	-
History Project	780	431
Imagine Grant	631	511
Insurance	2,812	2,538
Janitorial	13,160	12,341
Law Matters Grant	966	2,372
Legal & Accounting	2,300	2,100
NorthwesTel Grant	4,172	4,633
One Card Grant	7,400	7,400
Office, Photocopy & Supplies	9,891	9,398
Relief & Recovery Fund	1,408	-
Renovations, Repairs & Maintenance	8,616	25,606
Rent	27,000	27,000
Technology Grant	1,031	4,907
Training & Professional Development	5,426	2,682
Wages & Benefits	241,648	219,893
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	398,381	384,999
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUES	<u>\$ (21,125)</u>	\$ (24,960)

<sup>\*</sup>The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements\*

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	2022	2021
OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Excess of Expenditures over Revenues	\$ (21,125)	\$ (24,960)
Changes in Working Capital - Operations		
G.S.T. Recoverable (Increase)	(339)	(7,479)
Short Term Investments (Increase)	(13)	(14)
Prepaid Expenses (Increase)	-	(53)
Accounts Payable & Accrued Liabilities (Decrease)	4,319	8,172
Unspent Grants (Decrease)	26,070	519
Net Contingency Fund (Decrease)		1,262
	8,912	(22,553)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH & EQUIVALENTS	8,912	(22,553)
CASH - Beginning of Year	238,146	260,699
CASH - End of Year	\$ 247,058	\$ 238,146

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### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

(Unaudited)

#### 1. Accounting Policies

#### a. Basis of Accounting

The basis of accounting applied in the preparation of the financial information is on the historical cost basis, reflecting cash transactions with the additions of:

- Accounts receivable
- Prepaid expenses
- Accounts payable & accrued liabilities

#### b. Capital Assets & Other

Capital assets (books, furniture & equipment) are expensed in the year of acquisition and are not recorded on the balance sheet.

In 1996 the library board established a fund to accumulate fund-raising proceeds. The contingency fund receipts and expenses are recorded on the cash basis, with no provision for inventory of items for sale. The contingency fund is excluded from the statement of operations. The Contingency Fund was replaced by the General Reserve Fund during the current fiscal year.

During the 2005 year the amount of \$5,000 was set aside in a short term investment which is held as security for a credit card. These amounts are shown as Internally Restricted Equity.

The grants received less unspent grants are shown as revenue on the statement of revenue and expenditures; grants received in prior years spent during the current year are also shown as revenue on the statement of revenue and expenditures.

During the 2022 budgeting process, the library board designated \$18,000 from an amount they had projected as a surplus to offset their 2022 Budget Request from the Northern Rockies Regional Municipality, reducing their risk by that amount.

The library recovers 100% of G.S.T. paid.

### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

(Unaudited)

#### 1. Accounting Policies continued

#### c. Definitions

#### **Restricted Funds**

Funds are earmarked for a specific purpose and cannot be used for additional expenses or costs of doing business.

#### **Reserve Funds**

Reserve funds are set aside to stabilize finances by providing a cushion against unexpected events, losses of income, and large unbudgeted expenses.

#### **Non-Operational Monies**

Non-operational monies are library-generated income from fundraising.

Examples of non-operational monies include used-book sales, fines collected, chocolate sales, book bag sales, etc. and direct donations of under \$1,000.

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

(Unaudited)

#### 1. Accounting Policies continued

#### d. Library Reserve Funds

#### **Policy Definition**

To implement financial standards that will assure its fiscal viability, the library shall establish and maintain reserve funds to cover contingencies, support operations, and implement strategic projects and capital replacement programs. Unless otherwise directed by the Board, any non-operational monies remaining in the budget as surplus at year-end will be allocated into the general and/or technology reserve funds.

#### General Reserve Fund

The purpose of the General Reserve is to fund specific capital initiatives as determined by the board during the annual budget process, to provide for unanticipated expenditures, and to provide a cushion for planned or unplanned future needs. Any surplus not allocated to another reserve shall be allocated to the General Reserve Fund.

All gifts or donations of \$1,000 or over which are not specifically designated by the donor will be placed in the General Reserve Fund. Access to these funds will be through a request from the library director to the board detailing the planned uses.

The board may also allocate funds to support and administer fundraising campaigns to increase the general reserve fund.

#### **Technology Reserve Fund**

The purpose of the Technology Reserve is to provide for the substantial maintenance, upgrading or replacement of technology resources, including any software licensing costs which are not part of the library's regularly budgeted technology costs. The Technology Reserve Fund will not exceed 20% of the library's annual budget.

#### **Operational Reserve Fund**

The purpose of the Operational Reserve is to stabilize finances by providing a cushion against unexpected events, loss of income, and large, unexpected expenses and/or to cover shortfalls of revenue in the annual operational budget. The Operational Reserve Fund will not exceed 25% of the library's annual budget.

# NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

(Unaudited)

## 2. Contingency Fund

		2022	2021
Balance - Beginning of Year	\$	-	\$ 28,122
Fund Raising Receipts & Donations		-	1,572
Fund Raising Costs		-	(500)
Interest Earned		_	 190
Balance - End of Year	<u>\$</u>	-	\$ 29,384

# 3. General Reserve Fund

		2022	2021
Balance - Beginning of Year	\$	- \$	-
Contingency Fund Balance from 2021 29,384		-	
Unallocated Reserves / Surplus 44,489			-
Fundraising Receipts & Donations 6,164		-	
Fundraising Costs		(610)	_
Balance - End of Year	\$	79,427 \$	_

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(Unaudited )

# 4. Unspent Grants

	Enbridge	Equity	Imagine	Law Matters	Northwes Tel	Tech Grant	Relief & Recovery	Shell	Total 2022	Total 2021
<b>Balance Carried Forward</b>	\$2,500	\$2,900	\$715	\$ 128	\$10,223	\$5,935	-	\$1,233	\$23,634	\$23,115
Additional Grants Received	-	5,989	-	1,00	0 -	-	33,049	-	40,038	18,489
Materials	-	-	(631)	(966	5) -	(1,031)	(1,408)	-	(4,036)	(7,790)
Programs	-	(5,760)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(5,760)	(5,547)
Postage & Communication	-	-	-	-	(4,172)	-	-	-	(4,172)	(4,633)
<b>Unspent Grants</b>	\$2,500	\$3,129	\$84	\$162	\$6,051	\$4,904	\$31,641	\$1,233	\$49,704	\$23,634

#### Schedule of Debt

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Fort Nelson Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2022-12-31

The Fort Nelson Public Library has no long-term debt.

#### Schedule of Guarantee and Indemnity

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Fort Nelson Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2022-12-31

Fort Nelson Public Library has not given any guarantee or indemnity under the Guarantees and Indemnities Regulation.

#### **Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses**

#### <u>Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information</u>

Library Name: Fort Nelson Public Library Association

Fiscal Year Ended: 2022-12-31

#### Table 1 – Total Remuneration & Total Expenses

	Total Remuneration (Wages/Salaries)	Total Expenses (Reimbursement for Conferences/Mileage etc.)
Board Members		
1)	\$	\$
2)	\$	\$
3)	\$	\$
<b>Total Board Members</b>	\$	\$

Detailed Employees Exceeding \$75,000			
1)	\$	\$	
2)	\$	\$	
3)	\$	\$	
Total Detailed Employees Exceeding \$75,000	\$	\$	

Total Employees Equal to or Less Than \$75,000	\$214,333.66	\$2,449
Consolidated Total* (Sum of column)	\$214,333.66	\$2,449

#### Table 2 – Total Employer Premium to Receiver General for Canada

Total Employer Premium for Canada Pension Plan and Employment Insurance	DO NOT USE	<b>\$</b> 14,766.25
and Employment Insurance		

<sup>\*</sup> A Reconciliation to the financial statements is required, and any variance must be explained.

<sup>\*</sup> The Total Remuneration column and the Total Expenses Column **MUST REMAIN SEPARATE** throughout the form.

**Reconciliation of Remuneration and Expenses** 

<b>Total Remuneration</b>		\$214,333.66
Reconciling Items		
	Employer Paid CPP & EI	\$ 14,766.25
	Employer Paid Extended Health Premiums	\$ 12,548.09
	Item 3	\$0
	Item 4	\$ 0
<b>Total Per Statement of</b>		\$ 241,648.00
Revenue and Expenditure		\$ 241,048.00
Variance*		\$0

#### **Statement of Severance Agreements**

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Fort Nelson Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2022-12-31
There were 0 severance	agreements made between Fort Nelson Public Library and its non-unionized
employees during fiscal	year 2022.
These agreements repre	sent from to months' compensation.

#### Schedule of Changes in Financial Position

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Fort Nelson Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2022-12-31

A Statement of Changes in Financial Position has not been prepared because this information is provided in the Financial Statements.

#### Schedule of Payments Made For the Provision of Goods and Services

#### Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:

Fort Nelson Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended:

2022-12-31

Name of Individual, Firm or Corporation	Total Amount Paid During Fiscal Year
1) United Library Services	\$31,666.81
2) Northern Rockies Regional Municipality (2) Property of the Control of the Cont	\$30,103.71
Total (Suppliers with payments exceeding \$25,000)	\$61,770.52
Total (Suppliers where payments are \$25,000 or less)	\$92,513.48
Consolidated Total	\$156,123.00

#### **Reconciliation of Goods and Services**

Total of Suppliers with Payments Exceeding \$25,000 Consolidated Total of Supplier Payments of \$25,000 or Less		\$61,770.52 \$ 92,513.48
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	Employer Paid Health Premiums	\$12,548.09
	Salary and Benefits	\$ 214,333.66
	Staff Reimbursement	\$ 2449
Total Per Statement of Rev	enue and Expenditure	\$398,381.00
Variance*		\$ 0